

TELEGRAPHIC.

OTTAWA, Nov. 20.

The supreme court has decided that Canadian Pacific lands cannot be taxed until sold. Death sentence on Patten the Manitoba boy murderer has been commuted to fifteen years imprisonment.

Dominion land commissioner H. H. Smith, of Winnipeg, is in Calgary to hold a private enquiry into land office matters.

A schooner with \$30,000 worth of contraband whiskey on board was seized recently near Quebec by the inland revenue officials.

Arnold of brass dogs and Steamer Joe fame has been arrested for conspiracy to defraud the government. Trial on Wednesday next.

The appeal case of Ashdown vs. the Free Press for libel has been dismissed by the supreme court. Ashdown getting nothing and paying all costs.

WINNIPEG, Nov. 20.

Florence, a noted actor, died at Philadelphia on Wednesday.

Wolves killed and devoured three children in the suburbs of St. Paul, Wednesday.

The Massey-Harris implement firm has absorbed Patterson Bros., Wisner & Sons, and Vna Allan & Augur.

Premier Mercer has sworn out criminal informations against Whelan and all newspapers that published charges.

Hanlan, O'Connor and Teimer-Hosmer have arranged to row a double scull race for a thousand dollars a side next spring.

The Montreal Herald Publishing Co's has gone into liquidation. The paper is being published until a statement is submitted.

A tidal wave swept the Gilbert Islands in Southern Pacific creating great loss of life and damage to property. Eighty people were drowned on one island.

DEATH.

On Friday morning, the 30th inst., at 4:25 o'clock, there quietly passed away, into the eternal "Sabbath rest for the people of God," Harriet Thomasina Marsh, daughter of the Venerable Archdeacon Marsh, of London, Ont., and beloved wife of Alex. Taylor. A noble and true wife and mother, a cheerful christian and unwearied worker for the cause of Her Master, is missed from the broken family and church circles. At the Thanksgiving service, on the 12th inst., when she led the service of praise, was her last appearance in the church below. She has now passed into the perfect life beyond, the life of rest and peace and joy, to mingle her songs of praise and thanksgiving with those who have "gone before." Her faith was clear, strong and unflinching in Him who gave His life for the world. She could and did truly say, "Yea though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil, for thou art with me." The bereaved and sorrowing husband and children have the sympathy of the whole community in this their day of trial.

The Herchmer enquiry has taken definite shape at last, and all who have anything to say against the police commissioner are to have an opportunity of saying it under oath and before a proper court of enquiry. Grave complaints have been made against the commissioner, particularly by N. F. Davin, M.P., and the institution of a commission of enquiry is a proof of his persistence and influence. It will be remembered that a farcical enquiry was held last year by the comptroller of the police. This was not satisfactory from any point of view. In the present case any person having complaints to make must send them in writing to Judge Wetmore, Moosomin, Assn., who will then appoint times and places for hearing such cases. Letters containing complaints should also mention the post office address to which it is desired that notice of trial shall be sent.

"The Young Recruits" is the title of an oil painting by Mr. Charles Patterson, one of the most gifted representatives of the youngest branch of Canadian artists. Mr. Patterson has displayed undoubted genius in the conception and execution of this charming picture, which will appeal to every lover of childhood as well as every lover of art. "The Young Recruits" is one of the four supplements to be given away with the Christmas number of the Dominion Illustrated, which the publishers are sparing neither pains nor expense to make the most magnificent holiday souvenir ever issued in Canada, and far surpassing even their own brilliant effort of last year.

The crop of Edmonton district this year is roughly estimated at 200,000 bushels.

LOCAL.

THERE will be no Presbyterian service at Poplar Lake next Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McCauley left on Wednesday's train on a visit to Manitoba.

A C. & E. SURVEY party is working between MacLeod and the Crow's nest pass.

C. D. T. BEECHER, of the H. B. Co., is recovering from an attack of scarlet fever.

D. C. ROBERTSON is preparing to erect a grain warehouse at the railway station, 24x60.

CONCERT in Clover Bar hall on Friday evening, November 27th, in aid of the Presbyterian church.

WINTER has closed in this year much earlier than usual. Friday, the 20th, was very stormy.

W. B. STENNETT shipped, on Friday, 1 car load of hides to J. McMillan & Co., of Minneapolis, Minnesota.

THERE are still a few cases of scarlet fever among the children in town, but none have yet resulted fatally.

J. E. BÉTOURNAY, inspector of Indian Roman Catholic schools, returned from Lac la Biche on Sunday last.

ENTRIES in the land office have fallen off somewhat. Nine are recorded from the 1st to the 17th of November.

A. COOGLAN, W. BRUNNELL and Mr. Johnston are erecting frame dwellings on the Methodist mission estate.

D. C. ROBERTSON is erecting a frame dwelling 18x24, story and a half high on his Main street lots near the Big Hotel.

MR. F. STEELE, of Steele & Wing, photographers, expects to be in Fort Saskatchewan on or about the 1st of December.

J. NIBLOCK of Medicine Hat, divisional superintendent on the C. P. R. arrived on Thursday's train and left on Friday's train.

THE engine and boiler for the Edmonton electric light company has been shipped from the east. The wire arrived on Thursday's train.

MESSRS. JAS. McLENNAN, of Owen Sound, and E. W. Davis of Parry Sound, who arrived last week, have taken claims near Fort Saskatchewan.

A MANITOBA cattle dealer sells cattle to the farmers in the fall at 24 cents a pound, under condition of buying them back in the spring at 4 cents a pound.

DR. A. H. GOODWIN, surgeon dentist, received last week, from Regina, the papers necessary to permit his practicing his profession in all its branches.

MESSRS. J. Brown, Insp. Percy, L. Kelly, W. S. Robertson got two deer at the Horse Hill on Thursday. Both were shot by Insp. Percy. A third was seen, but was not secured.

JOHN Kelly and party of lumberers, eight in all, left for Moore & Macdowall's timber limits on Thursday; to prepare for taking out about one million feet of saw logs this winter.

Indian hunters report muskrats very numerous, also prairie chickens and partridges. Rabbits are on the increase and also lynx which seem to be travelling westward. Bears were unusually numerous this fall.

JOHN Cameron has arranged to purchase wheat for cash for shipment east as soon as the grain warehouse being erected by D. C. Robertson at the railway station is completed. A fanning mill will be placed in the warehouse to give farmers a chance to get their grain clean.

F. C. DREWRY, of the Saturday Globe, arrived on Thursday's train of last week, returning from the coast, where he has been engaged in writing up the country. Mr. Drewry saw as much of the Edmonton district as he could during his brief stay and will give his impressions in the Globe. He left on Wednesday's train.

MAJOR McGIBBON, inspector of Indian agencies, arrived on Monday from Saddle Lake, Battleford and Prince Albert, where he has been making his annual tour amongst the agencies. The Indian crops have turned out well this season, and many of the bands will have a surplus of grain. The Major is now inspecting the agencies in this vicinity.

ALAN Smith, of Tacoma, Washington, who recently purchased a half interest in the store building occupied by the Hudson's Bay company, arrived on Monday's train and will remain a short time. He thinks of removing to Edmonton in the spring. He speaks well of the Puget Sound cities, but thinks there is a good prospect of working up a desirable emigration of agriculturists from Washington, Oregon, Nebraska, Kansas and Dakota with all of which states he is familiar.

CALGARY will vote, on December 3th, on a by-law to bonus the Calgary water power company to the amount of \$4,000 in consideration of the erection of a flouring mill, besides granting exemption from taxation for 20 years.

THE Prince Albert Times says that although Betts was 71 ahead of Turner in the Cumberland district up to last accounts, there are enough votes to hear from to either cause Turner to lose his deposit or to elect him over Betts.

ON Thursday afternoon, after the close of the farmers meeting in regard to grain rates, a meeting of farmers was held in Fielder's hall to form an organization for the purpose of handling their grain. J. Coleman chairman, W. Fielders, secretary. On motion of W. Carson seconded by H. McKay, Messrs. W. Cust, M. McLeod, Geo. S. Long, D. Maloney, J. T. Turner, W. Edmiston and T. G. Hutchings were appointed a committee to ascertain the feeling of the farming community in their several districts as to the advisability of the move. The secretary was instructed to write to Brandon and Portage la Prairie for the form of by-laws required by such organization.

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DENTISTRY.

I am pleased to be able to inform the public that after much unpleasant delay caused by unexpected and vexatious opposition and unusual legislation I have succeeded in registering in the Northwest Territories.

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On Saturday afternoon, 14th inst., between X. St. Jean's hotel, South Side, and the river, a black dog skin coat, with natural North Sea seal trimming on cuffs and collar. Any person returning same to Canada Hotel will be liberally rewarded. JOHN LAFOND.

ESTRAY.

Came to the premises of the subscriber last spring three two year old steers, one white and red branded "Y" on high hip, one black and white, no brand, and one all red, with short tail and no brand, very breechy. Owner is requested to prove property, pay damages, to the amount of \$15, and expenses, and taking them away. M. GUERTIN, Sturgeon River.



NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I, the Honorable Edward Ludlow Wetmore, one of the judges of the Supreme Court of the North-West Territories, have by virtue of a commission to me directed, been appointed Commissioner to consider and to enquire into all complaints as to the conduct of Commissioner Herchmer, of the Mounted Police, and of Assistant Commissioner Herchmer, of the same force, since their appointment to such positions respectively, which shall be preferred before me in writing within such period as I shall fix and make public by such advertisement as I shall deem sufficient.

I have fixed between this tenth day of November instant and the nineteenth day of December next, both inclusive, as the period within which complaints shall be preferred. Such complaints shall be in writing, and shall contain a clear statement of the act or omission complained of, with the date and place thereof, and a list of the witnesses to be examined thereon, containing their respective places of business.

It is suggested that with each complaint a name and post office address be given to which any requisite notice may be forwarded.

Such complaints shall be preferred before me at Moosomin.

After all complaints are lodged, times and places will be fixed for enquiry into the same.

Dated at Moosomin, the tenth day of November, eighteen hundred and ninety-one.

E. L. WETMORE.



SHERIFF'S SALE.

Northwest Territories To wit:

By virtue of a Writ of Execution, issued out of the Supreme Court of the Northwest Territories, Northern Alberta Judicial District at the suit of Richard Hardisty and Daniel R. Fraser and to me directed against the lands of Daniel E. Noyes, I have seized and taken into Execution the following Lands, namely:

Being the northeast one quarter (1), and the northwest one quarter (2), of sections twenty-seven (27) in township fifty-three (53), in range twenty-five (25), west of the fourth (4) meridian in the District of Alberta in the Northwest Territories containing by admeasurement three hundred and twenty acres subject to a certain mortgage on said lands given by said Daniel E. Noyes on the 12th day of December, A. D., 1887 for the sum of \$1,250.55 to John Brown and Duncan Steele Curry and John Norris and Edward F. Carey and registered in the Lands Titles office of the North Alberta Registration District as No. 89, D. Book, folio 9, which I shall expose for sale on Monday the Fourth (4) day of January, 1892 at Sheriff's Office, Edmonton, at the hour of Two o'clock, p. m.

P. W. KING, Sheriff Per W. S. ROBERTSON Deputy Sheriff Sheriff's Office, Edmonton, September 19th, 1891.

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EDMONTON BULLETIN, NOV. 21, 1891.

PUBLIC MEETING.

In accordance with notice a meeting of farmers of the district was held in Fielders' hall on the afternoon of Thursday, 19th inst., to consider the question of the railway rates on grain for export. Upwards of 100 representative farmers were present. W. Cust was elected chairman and W. Fielders secretary.

The chairman said the meeting had been called to make an effort to secure a reduction in the freight rates on grain. What was wanted was a rate of 10 cents a hundred to Calgary and 30 cents to the coast. Then the farmers could live and make a little money. At present the railway enjoys the benefit of half of all our improvements, for of all land in the country they own the half, and besides they want more than half our crop for hauling it to market.

D. Maloney, at whose call the meeting was held, said that the farmers had found it to be necessary to take very urgent steps to get better rates for our produce. We were willing to share with the railway company, but at present rates our share was so small that it was no use to us. We wanted a rate west as well as east. At most we could not now get more than 18 cents for oats, with a fairly reduced rate west we could get 30 cents. Wheat was now worth 60 cents at most to ship east, but with fair rates west it would be worth ten or fifteen cents more. At present prices the farmer was working at a loss. The difference of a few cents a bushel would make a profit for the farmer. Certain resolutions had been prepared to be presented to the meeting. If they were passed and were forwarded without producing any effect stronger measures would be taken. Settlers who come are a benefit to the railway, and all of us have helped to bring in settlers, who now ask us, Why did you bring us? We had always expected a cash market with the railway. The railway was here and the market was not. We had the power to keep out settlers, if that were necessary, to bring the railway people to their right mind.

M. McKinley objected to resolutions passed at Edmonton. They should be passed by unions of the farmers in their own settlements. In any other way they would be of no more value than a basket of chips. It was no use to dictate to the president of the C. P. R. He was monarch of all he surveyed, but still if the people were not given a fair deal after proper representations being made he would assist in a course that would knock one tooth out of the gigantic monopoly. Ten years ago we had great expectations of a cash market for produce on the arrival of the railway. Now we found we had been deceived and were disappointed accordingly. He gave a particular account of a movement which he had suggested some weeks ago, to properly approach the railway company on the subject of lower rates, and read the memorandum which he had caused to be circulated for signature appealing for reduced rates. He thought it well to try mild measures first, if that failed, move more strongly, and if that failed, by advertising the action of the railway company in South Dakota he would knock them out in one round.

John Cameron, president of the Edmonton board of trade, was called upon to inform the meeting as to the rates offered by the railway. The rates on grain from Edmonton to Vancouver were 55 cents per hundred, to Victoria and Nanaimo, 60 cents per hundred. To Port Arthur, 32 cents, to Montreal, by lake and rail, 48 cents, to New York, 61 cents, to Calgary, 30 cents. He mentioned that an enquiry for oats had been received from Pallsier, B. C., a point on the C. P. R. line, 140 miles west of Calgary. It was found that the rate of freight was 55 cents, while from Moose Jaw the rate was 46 cents, a difference of 9 cents against Edmonton, with 300 miles more haul.

Geo. Long said that the statement which had been prepared expressed his views on the matter, and asked that it be read.

The chairman called upon the secretary to read the document which was as follows:

"Owing to the prospect of an export market for their produce held out to the settlers of this district by the building of the C. & E. railway a larger area of crop was grown this season than ever before, which under favorable conditions has resulted in giving an export surplus of over 100,000 bushels of wheat, oats, and barley, besides a large quantity of potatoes, all of quality unsurpassed.

The export freight rates given by your company to the eastern sea board and intermediate points are probably as low as could be expected considering the vast length of

haul and may result in giving us a market for our surplus wheat at a low figure, but under no circumstances can we hope to export eastward at a profit oats, barley and potatoes which form the bulk of our crop.

A good demand for these products, and wheat as well, exists on the Pacific coast and at intermediate points, but the high freight tariff charged by your company from Edmonton to those points compels the produce importers of British Columbia and South-western Alberta to purchase in Assiniboia or Manitoba, where although the haul is from 300 to 650 miles greater, your company gives as low or a lower freight rate than from this point. The result is that we are unable under these conditions to dispose of our surplus crop at a profit, and unless your company sees fit to give us freight rates west proportioned to the length of haul we will be compelled to restrict production instead of increasing it very largely as we had hoped to do after the advent of the railway.

As this settlement is the most remote in the Territories from the eastern markets we have to pay for a longer haul on all commodities that we import and also for the longer haul on all the produce that we export eastward. If we are given proportionate export rates to the west we consider that that disadvantage will be offset, but if we are asked not only to pay higher rates to the east, from which we are distant—but also to the west—to which we are near—we feel that we are being placed at a very grave disadvantage as compared with other sections of the country by your company and must protest against the same, and beg to call your attention to the fact that under such circumstances we will be unable to continue the mixed system of farming which we have hitherto found so profitable and for which the country is so well adapted and depend entirely on cattle and dairy products, under which conditions the country cannot be developed as fully nor the railway company make as much money from the carriage of its surplus products as if mixed farming were encouraged by giving us such rates as would enable us to profitably reach our best and nearest markets in Southern Alberta and British Columbia."

Mr. McKinley said that there was no difference in the cost of freight to Prince Albert and Edmonton. It was no use to dictate or to explain regarding rates and distances of which the managers of the C. P. R. were fully aware, and proceeded to speak again of the petition which he had gotten up.

M. McLeod asked why he did not make public the fact that he was taking action if he was doing so.

Mr. McKinley explained that it had been intended to take action during the election contest, but that there was none in the Edmonton district.

H. Long said that the meeting had come to discuss the memorial that had been read, and asked that the sense of the meeting be taken regarding it.

John Kennedy said that he was partly responsible for calling the meeting and the draft read suited his idea as an explanation of the situation. He did not know of any previous arrangements as mentioned by Mr. McKinley.

The statement read was then put to the meeting as a resolution by the chairman and was carried almost unanimously.

A committee consisting of Messrs. W. Cust, M. McLeod, D. Maloney, T. Hutchings, J. T. Turner and W. Edmiston was appointed to forward the expression of the meeting to the authorities of the C. P. R., which was done, the communications being addressed to land commissioner Hamilton and general-superintendent Whyte.

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GRAIN FOR SHIPMENT.

John Cameron has been in communication with prominent grain buyers, both east and west, with a view of finding a market for the surplus grain of this district this season. A letter from British Columbia says: "The wheat sent has a little smut in it, but otherwise is a good sample. Regarding oats, we can take a few cars at 25 cents, sacked, free on board cars, if the oats are up to sample. We would like, however, to have them cleaner of seeds if possible."

A sample of wheat forwarded to a leading Toronto wheat buyer was pronounced magnificent stuff by everyone who saw it. The only drawback is the smut, which reduces the grade from No. 1 hard to No. 1 rejected. The drop in price from No. 1 hard to smutty wheat is tremendous, and would take from ten to fifteen cents from its value. See to it therefore that any you buy is well cleaned before shipment. There is an unlimited market for good wheat this year. Your rates of freight are favorable and with prices as they are, your farmers will realize good paying prices. You should buy the wheat equal to this sample at 60 cents, and lower grades two to three cents less. We think it advisable to send along a few cars."

ENQUIRIES.

A letter received recently by R. McKernan from Hamburg, Germany, contains the following list of enquiries regarding this district, which are given here with their answers for the information of all parties who want to know about Edmonton.

Can free homesteads still be taken up of good soil? Yes.

What is the character of the soil? Black mould, one to three feet deep, resting on light clay subsoil, twelve feet deep, which again rests on blue clay.

Can good lands be bought there cheaply, and at what prices? The government price of unimproved land is now \$3 an acre. Improved farms would have to be paid for according to the amount of improvements, situation, etc., not likely to go over \$10 an acre.

Is dairy farming and horse, cattle and sheep raising profitable? Dairy farming and cattle raising are the points in which this district particularly excels, and on which most money is made. Horses and sheep do well.

Do wheat and dairy products find a good market at a reasonable distance? The wheat market depends on the export rates granted by the railway. The local market for dairy products has always been good.

Is there a creamery? No, but there are excellent openings for the establishment of several creameries.

Can fruits be cultivated, and what kinds? Small fruits, such as raspberries, strawberries, black, white and red currants and gooseberries, grow wild abundantly and are cultivated very successfully. Large fruits are now being tried, but have not yet succeeded.

Would it be possible to hire a tract of cultivated land to put a crop in the first year? It was last year, but so many people are now coming in that it might be difficult next season. The owner generally lets his land on shares.

Are there good wages for farm laborers in case we should decide to work out for wages the first year to gain experience? As farming has hitherto been carried on generally on a small scale, so that the farmer could do most of his own work, there has not been much demand for laborers, and may not be owing to the rush of people. Wages run from \$20 to \$40 a month.

Is there any difficulty in finding a lodging before our own house would be ready? The surest and best way would be to provide a good tent with camp stove.

Are there good schools? There are a number of good schools throughout the settlement, but as schools depend on population, it might be difficult to get free homesteads near an established school.

How is the climate? When does spring and winter commence? Spring plowing commences from the first to the 20th of April, and plowing ceases in the fall from the 25th of October to the 20th of November. The present is a very early fall. There is generally abundant moisture in summer, and one to two feet of snow in winter. The winter weather is cold, but not stormy, in which latter particular it differs from any other section of Manitoba or the Northwest.

Is wood (fuel) cheap and water plentiful? Wood is abundant, also coal. Water can be had everywhere, if not in creeks or ponds, then by digging wells.

Are summer frosts and hailstorms prevalent, and do you know of any damage from these in your district? Summer frosts and hailstorms occur occasionally, but are not prevalent—much less so than in other parts of Manitoba and the Northwest.

Are there settlements of German families in the neighborhood? There are four German settlements within a radius of 25 miles of Edmonton. They number about 200 souls and expect their number to be greatly increased during the coming season by arrivals from Europe.

What furniture and implements would it be necessary for a family to bring? It would scarcely pay to bring either furniture or implements from Europe. Both can be purchased here of makes adapted to the country.

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Monday.

Alberta—E. J. Martin, Regina; Jas. McLennan, Owen Sound; Robert Reid, Drayton, Dakota; Alex. Smith, Tacoma; Alex. McGibbon, J. E. Betourney, Regina; W. Maloney and Jas. McKenzie, Calgary.

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Jasper—W. W. Armstrong, W. B. Macnamara, Geo. Bickler, Calgary; W. T. Henson, Winnipeg; Miss Edmiston, S. Hopgood, W. Hopgood, Calgary.

Thursday:

Alberta—M. Healy, Minneapolis; J. W. Clark, Calgary.

Jasper house—W. Shaw, W. Tarvey, J. H. Clark, Calgary; W. G. Stuart, Inverness, Scotland; J. Niblock, Medicine Hat.

HOTEL DEPARTURES BY TRAIN.

Wednesday.

Alberta—R. Reid, R. McLennan, J. S. White, W. Maloney and Jas. McKenzie.

Canada—David Klurgen, Abraham Dyn and Kias Peters.

Jasper—W. W. Armstrong, W. B. Macnamara, F. C. Drewery.

Friday:

Jasper—W. T. Henson, W. G. Stuart and J. Niblock.

W. G. STUART, of Inverness, Scotland, who is at present making a lecturing and inspection tour of the Canadian West, arrived on Thursday's train and was met by a large number of the representative Scotchmen of Edmonton, with a view to mutually getting and giving information as to the suitability of this district as a field for emigration from the Highlands of Scotland. Mr Stuart was desirous of making a considerable stay here, but owing to the train arrangements was unable to do so, and so left on Friday morning. He intends, however, to return for a longer visit sometime in January in order to acquaint himself more fully with the country, particularly in its winter dress. So far he is very favorably impressed.

An annual meeting of the Edmonton electric light & power company was held Wednesday evening, 11th inst. The following board of directors were elected: John Kelly, J. A. McDougall, J. C. C. Bremner, Alex. Taylor, G. R. F. Kirkpatrick, D. R. Fraser, A. D. Osborne, C. Young, secretary-treasurer. At a meeting of the directors on the 17th, J. A. McDougall was elected president, J. C. C. Bremner, vice-president, and Alex. Taylor, managing director. Beck & McNamara were appointed solicitors.

L. THOMPSON and M. Cromarty, of Victoria, were in town this week. Two deaths have occurred in the settlement, Miss Isabella Norn, about 17 years of age and a child of Mrs. Bayne. The latter death was occasioned by the child playing near the fire place during the absence of the mother. Its clothing caught fire and it was terribly burned, causing its death in about a week.

DIED.

TAYLOR—At Edmonton, Alberta, on Friday morning, November 20th, 1891, Harriet Thomasina, beloved wife of Alexander Taylor, Esq.

Funeral on Sunday, November 22nd, at 2 p.m.

METEOROLOGICAL.

Weather report for week ending Saturday morning, November 21st, 1891. Reported for the BULLETIN by Mr. Alexander Taylor, observer at Edmonton.

	Max.	Min.
Saturday	20	4
Sunday	11	4
Monday	4	8
Tuesday	14	-4
Wednesday	13	6
Thursday	26	8
Friday	11	11
Saturday		-13

Barometer rising 27.871.

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